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PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No.: 20004/38-US

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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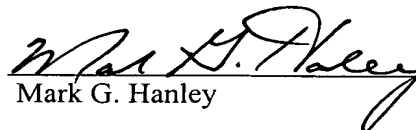
This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the following application:

Application

Application Serial No:	09/553,776
Filed on:	April 21, 2000
Inventor:	Venugopal Srinivasan
Title:	"Detection of Entropy in Connection with Audio Signals"
Art Unit:	2634
Examiner:	Curtis B. Odom
Attorney Docket No.:	20004/38-US

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on **November 21, 2005**.


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1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114

a. Previously Submitted:

- i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on _____.
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
- iii. ☐ Other: _____

b. Enclosed:

- i. ☒ Reply
- ii. ☐ Declaration Of Common Ownership
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other: _____

2. Fees

a. ☒ A check in the amount of \$595 is enclosed for the following:

- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
- ii. ☐ Extension of time fee 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17(a)
- iii. ☒ Other: Amendment Transmittal

b. ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-2455.

- i. ☐ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
- ii. ☐ Extension of time fee 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17(a)
- iii. ☐ Other: _____.


The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2455. A copy of this transmittal is enclosed.

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